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Judge Kimbrough and State's Attorney John Lewman are willing that their own election shall be subjected to inquiry. It also means that the Majority election and even the election of all of the county and township officers will be open to inquiry.

MAYORALTY FEARS.

It is the majority election that politicians dread being brought into the glare of publicity. It is common talk that Louis Platt, the Democratic Mayor of Danville, spent \$25,000 to get his office. The term is two years and the salary \$1500 a year. This city is nominally Republican, but Platt won by 2500 votes. Platt's Republican opponent was W. E. Baum, a druggist. Baum spent \$5000.

In the first and third wards of the city hundreds of negroes and floating voters are said to have been paid for their votes in that election. The prices ranged from \$2 to \$10. No one charges that either Platt or Baum personally bought votes, but it is openly said that neither kept a strict account of where the money was spent.

Mayor Platt is said to have had considerable secret trouble attempting to get an accounting from several individuals. It was in connection with one of these funds that Pete Sanichas, the Greek candy store proprietor who "lined up" the Westville Republican vote, came into the limelight. Sanichas, it is said, will go before the grand jury and "fess up."

The Grape Creek and Westville elections of recent days will be given special attention by the grand jury. While the manner of conducting elections in Danville has been scandalous, it is denied that the mining camp polls have been tainted by a crew which for election thefts have few rivals.

Theft of ballot boxes; holding ballot boxes until after returns were in from other townships, and then, if the returns were not favorable, stuffing them; buying of hundreds of "round head" and negro votes; organization of clubs where campaign funds solicited from candidates were split across the table in open meetings, are some of the charges that have been made.

The last election in Grape Creek is one of which Vermilion county citizens speak of with a blush. When the votes were counted by the election commissioners it was found that Grape Creek had polled a vote twice the size of the population of the village.

GEN. SUMMERS DEAD.

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 22.—Gen. Owen Summers of Clatsop and Philippine Islands, died here last night of pneumonia after an illness of two days. Gen. Summers was sixty years of age.

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WILL APPEAL HORNET CASE.

Has Right to Buzz, Is Contention.

Bonilla's Lawyers to Review "Arrest" by Uncle Sam's Sea Policeman.

Government Official Investigates Alleged Breach of Neutrality.

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HIGH LIVING FOR EQUINE.

Horse Causes Trouble by Eating Up Chinese Merchant's Lily Display.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PORTLAND, (Or.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because the prosaic steed of an expressman ate his row of potted Chinese lilies and spoiled his New Year's good luck omen, Seid Back, Portland's wealthy Chinese merchant, offered to thrash the horse's owner. The expressman replied by threatening to kill Seid Back, so the merchant declares, and as a result an officer with a John Doe warrant is looking for the driver of a broken-down sorrel horse with a fringe of Chinese lily tops about his bits. Seid Back's New Year lily display was particularly fine this year and he set the pots out along a bench on the sidewalk in front of his store to get the sunshine yesterday. When he discovered their despolier, he says nothing was left of his lilies but the pots.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PORTLAND, (Or.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The gunboat Hornet, the navy of Manuel Bonilla, leader of the revolutionists in Honduras, has not been seized by the United States gunboat Tacoma under direction of the Department of Justice, but has been detained only according to a dispatch received today at the Navy Department from Commander Davis of the Tacoma.

The message, which was brief, conveyed only the information that it had been necessary to restrain the Hornet by force. The Tacoma had been detailed to watch the Hornet and prevent the bombardment by it of the towns and cities in Honduras.

Commander Davis had been given great latitude in his instructions, but could not go so far as to seize the Hornet.

At the Navy Department it was stated that Commander Davis had no authority to seize the vessel; that the Department of Justice was investigating the sale and delivery of the Hornet to the Bonilla forces, but had not concluded its investigation nor had issued any instructions in the matter.

Attorneys here for Manuel Bonilla will take the matter up with the Department of Justice tomorrow.

TACOMA HOLDS UP REVOLUTIONARY CRAFT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The report that the Hornet, Gen. Bonilla's revolutionary gunboat which has been promoting his cause along the coast of Honduras has been boarded by a force

from the American gunboat Tacoma, was confirmed in a wireless dispatch received by the Navy Department today from Commander Cooper of the Tacoma.

The dispatch merely said it had been found necessary to place a force on board to detain the Hornet, and added that details would be reported later. The State Department is anxiously awaiting information to determine its future course.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL is investigating whether the Hornet has violated the neutrality laws of the United States, and pending the result, the State Department announced the vessel would not be permitted any act of hostility against Honduras.

The action of Commander Davis of the Tacoma in boarding the Hornet, it is assumed here, was based on an intention of the revolutionists to strike a telling blow. The naval officers in Honduras waters were given considerable latitude in carrying out their instructions to prevent an assault by the Hornet.

ISSUE INVOLVED.

The Hornet sailed from New Orleans, ostensibly for Cape Gracias, on the northeastern coast of Nicaragua. It

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Woman Versus Woman.



Miss Alma Evans, detective nurse who was one of the State's chief witnesses in prosecution of Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk tried at Wheeling, W. Va., on charge of poisoning her millionaire husband.

Suspense Near Over.

SCHENK CASE READY FOR JURY WEDNESDAY, DECLARE COUNSEL.

Judge, Attorneys and Jurors Alike Hail With Relief Announcement That End Is Near—Both Prosecution and Defense Have Made Out Strong Presentation and Albert Schenk May Be Forced on Stand Before Close.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) WHEELING (W. Va.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the case of Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk, charged with attempting to kill her wealthy husband, John O. Schenk, with poison, will go to the jury on Wednesday, was announced this afternoon following a conference of counsel for the State and the defense. Arguments will begin tomorrow, after witnesses to rebut testimony of the defense have been heard.

A full day will be given each side for their pleas. Fred L. Maury and J. B. Handlans, will open for the prosecution and will be followed by S. O. Boyce and J. J. P. O'Brien for the defense. The arguments will be closed by Mr. Handlans, the prosecuting attorney, who will take the greater part of one day.

The fact that the end of the trial is in sight is welcomed alike by Judge, attorneys and jury. All have been under a strain and all show evidence of the ordeal they have gone through. No criminal case in this State has been fought more bitterly, and at all times the result has been in doubt. The State has presented strong evidence against the prisoner and this has been met with telling points in her behalf.

The State has shown, through an analysis by expert chemists, that mineral water which Mr. Schenk drank in his home and that medicine administered in his home were charged with two poisons, arsenic and sugar of lead. That Mrs. Schenk was too

friendly with a music salesman and that she had expressed a wish that her husband would die, was brought out in evidence.

The State has produced a witness, Miss Alma Evans, a detective nurse, who swore that Mrs. Schenk offered her \$1000 to put poison in her husband's medicine after he was removed to the hospital; that she purchased sugar of lead from a physician in quantity sufficient to kill a dozen men, and that Mr. Schenk was suffering from arsenical and lead poisoning.

On the other hand the State has not shown that the defendant purchased arsenic, and no evidence has been adduced to prove that Laura Farnsworth Schenk actually put the deadly drugs in the water and medicine.

The defense has contended throughout that there was a conspiracy on the part of other members of the Schenk family to rid themselves of the woman under trial and called a witness to prove that Albert Schenk, head of the family, declared he would leave no stone unturned to accomplish that purpose.

It is said that Albert Schenk will be forced on the stand to rebut evidence of Mrs. Jane Hodges, who asserted that he had told of his intentions to get rid of "that woman." If he is called he will undoubtedly be subjected to a severe cross-examination by Mr. O'Brien, Mrs. Schenk's chief counsel.

Nervy Femininity.

FRESH FROM DESTRUCTIVE FIRE, WOMEN SINGERS THRILL CHICAGO.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Only a few persons in the big audience that attended the concert given this afternoon in the Auditorium Theater by the Chicago Singers-Verein for the benefit of the German Old People's Home at Altenheim, were aware that sixteen of the women singers, only a few minutes before they "came on," had lost all or a part of their wraps in a fire which occurred in the women's dressing room while the crowd was filling the playhouse. These few learned it because they were "on the inside," and not from any evidence of excitement on the part of the singers.

How the fire started is a mystery, but crossed electric wires are given the blame. When the flames were discovered clothing said to be worth close to \$1000, had been destroyed. One woman is said to have lost wraps worth \$200. Stage hands and fire extinguishers quickly put out the blaze.

Those back of the stage took the matter so coolly that no one in front noticed damage, the extent of which

STIFF FIGHT AT GALEANA.

Blood Again Stains Mexico's Soil.

Three Hundred Are Reported Dead in Battle Between Regulars and Rebels.

Women and Children Said to Be Among the Slain. Houses Riddled.

Insurrectos Boast of Luring Navarro Away From His Best Stronghold.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) EL PASO (Tex.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fighting continues at Galeana, south of Casas Grandes and the news was brought to Casas Grandes today that among the dead were many women and children, killed in their homes as the Federals fired into the insurgents in the houses. Unless these couriers are greatly excited, it promises to be the bloodiest battle of the present insurrection, when all losses are tallied.

Reports say that the killed and wounded list will total 300. Casas Grandes is still in the hands of the Federals, but the inhabitants are no certain how long it will be held.

It is claimed now that the rebels are attempting to take all towns along the El Paso Northwestern road south of here and hold the line in order to use it to take supplies to their troops from El Paso.

Juarez, opposite El Paso, according to these statements, is to be taken. As indicating that the Mexican government places credence in these reports it sent another hundred cavalrymen to Juarez from Chihuahua today.

Fiscal guards in Juarez reported today that 200 revolutionists crossed the Rio Grande at Guadalupe east of El Paso, last night, going south. This report was made to their commander.

Reports from Guerrero and Ojinaga show the Federals in a serious condition there as at Galeana. Navarro is completely cut off from Chihuahua and the rebels boast that their return from Guerrero was to draw his supplies and then annihilate his command. He has been cut off for a week and the rebels are attacking his commands in all the smaller towns around Guerrero and Temoachico, assisted by their attacks by the Tafa Hussara Indians.

At Ojinaga Gen. Luque has had to send out all the troops he can spare to reinforce the small garrisons placed in smaller towns and is now said to be surrounded himself by rebels at Ojinaga. The loss among the Federals around Ojinaga is known to have been heavy of late.

Censorship was placed this afternoon on the wires of the Mexico Northwestern south of here to Casas Grandes.

Limit Reached.

SPEED MANIACS FACE BULLETS.

RANCHERS IN ARMS OVER USE OF MOUNTAIN ROAD.

Residents Along Highway Between San Jose and Santa Cruz Call on Law to Halt Auto Scorching and Promise Leaden Missiles if Enforcement Fails of Effect.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) SAN JOSE, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Protesting against the use of the mountain highway between here and Santa Cruz as a speedway for motorists, a dozen ranchers along the road have lodged a complaint with Dist. Atty. Free, and threaten to shoot and even chauffeurs—if the misuse of the roadway does not stop.

During the past few months many accidents and scores of minor mishaps have occurred on this road. Many places the road is so narrow the two rigs can barely pass and automobiles, racing along the brink of the precipices, have forced horses to climb the steep bank at the inside of the road, caused runaways, crashed into wagons and in one or two instances have themselves come to grief.

The District Attorney promised the ranchers he would take a personal interest in apprehending the offenders and would see that justice of the peace inflict the maximum, rather than the minimum penalty. That over speeding of automobiles in countervailing of the laws that to the last themselves is the contention of Free.

Lunatic After Lipton.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Sir Thomas Lipton had an awkward adventure at country place today with a suppositious, who exhibited a razor to emphasize a request for financial assistance. Sir Thomas excused himself from the visitor and notified the police, who took the man into custody.

Fatal Railroad Collision.

MACONN (Sask.) Jan. 22.—Two passengers were killed and a mail train was seriously injured on the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad near here today in a rear end collision. The train had a mail car at the rear and was struck by a

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the California and Atlantic Company has proved the opposite, and constant additions have been made to the fleet until it now numbers eight steamers. In addition to freight which came to this line at the outset it is now carrying large amounts of citrus fruit and asphaltum from California to the East, and the tonnage is constantly increasing.

LEGAL FIGHT OVER CORPSE.
Late South Dakota Politician's Two Families Are Divided Over Burial at Seattle.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After a week of controversy between two of his sons on one side and his second wife on the other, the body of Chauncey L. Wood, Democratic leader of South Dakota, is indefinitely kept from burial by two orders made in King county Superior Court this morning by Judge Boyd J. Talmán. Both the widow and the sons by the first wife are restrained from making any disposition of the body until further orders of the court.

Judge Talmán took this action on a hearing of a temporary order signed by Judge Mitchell Gilman at his home last night. This temporary order, granted at the instance of the two sons, Ruel B. Wood and Ben R. Wood, was served on E. B. Hatterworth and his sons at midnight.

Chauncey L. Wood married his second wife, Beatie F. Wood, in Arizona, August 7, 1914. For the last five years she has lived in Seattle, he visiting her from time to time.

In December Wood came here to live with his wife until March and last Sunday he died in Providence Hospital after an operation for appendicitis.

Monday night the two sons, both of whom are members of the South Dakota bar, arrived in this city. A dispute at once arose between them and Mrs. Wood with her step-brother Roy D. Frank of Seattle, as to whether the body should be buried here or taken to Rapid City, S. D., to lie beside his first wife. Then the dispute was taken to court.

BUBONIC INVADERS PEKIN.
Legation Staffs at Chinese Capital Quarantine Themselves—Plague Carried Across Gulf of Pechili.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PEKING, Jan. 22.—A number of deaths from bubonic plague have occurred in the city since the first death from the disease here was reported yesterday.

The legation staffs are quarantining themselves within their own walls, having been unable to agree on general measures for the entire legation.

Advices from Chefoo state the epidemic has been carried across the Gulf of Pechili in junk boats, but there are grave fears that it will extend throughout Northern China and Korea.

PLAQUE CAMPS DESERTED.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
KALAN CHENG TSE (China), Jan. 22.—Plague refugees from Harbin are arriving here in great numbers. The fatalities increase daily. The Japanese are erecting plague camps capable of containing 4,000 persons.

TROOP OF BRONCHO BUSTERS.
New Cavalry Organization, Fourth of Its Kind in California, in Process of Formation at Alturas.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ALTURAS, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Probably the most active troop of cavalry in the National Guard of California will be that soon to be organized in Alturas. This will be composed of broncho busters, many of whom participated in contests at the Fiesta of the Dawn of Gold in Sacramento during the State fair.

When the Alturas troop is organized it will make four organizations of the kind in California and will complete a squadron. There are troops at Sacramento, Salinas and Los Angeles.

Dr. E. F. Auble, who started the movement, has been in conference with Adjutant-General Forbes ever since the "Good Roads" meeting in the capital several days ago. Dr. Auble reports that Forbes gives the movement his enthusiastic support. A troop requires sixty-one men and three officers.

HELD ON PERJURY CHARGE.
Nevada Mining Man, Arrested at Reno, Has Exciting Ride With Train in Officers' Auto.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
RENO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] M. C. Scully, a mining promoter of Goldfield and Emery, was arrested last evening as he was coming out of a local theater by Constable J. A. Hash of Battle Mountain, on a warrant charging perjury.

Chief of Police Burke of Reno, assisted in the arrest. The prisoner was rushed to an Overland motor, but the train, having just departed, the constable hired an auto and ordered the driver to overtake the train. Sparks. After a hard ride the train was caught and the constable boarded it with his prisoner. The matter came up before Justice of the Peace E. F. George at Battle Mountain today and Scully gave bonds to appear for trial in February. The perjury is alleged to have been committed in a mining case before District Judge Brin, last year.

FISHING BOAT IN DISTRESS.
Wireless Calls for Help Sent Out for Over an Hour Last Night Off West Coast of Vancouver Island.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
SEATTLE, Jan. 22.—Wireless stations along the coast of Washington and British Columbia have been unable to pick up any information concerning the fate of the fishing steamer Chicago, with forty men aboard, which sent out distress calls for more than an hour last night.

The operator on the Chicago failed to give out his position and the whereabouts of the Chicago is unknown, although she was supposed to be off the west coast of Vancouver Island.

The fact that the Chicago's distress calls gradually grew fainter and then failed entirely is said by wireless men to indicate that water had reached the engine room and cut off the power.

NEW YORK VIA THE ISTHUS.
New Steamship Company Announces Weekly Sailings From San Francisco, Beginning Saturday.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bates & Cosebrough announce that, beginning next Saturday, the California and Atlantic Steamship Company will maintain weekly sailings from San Francisco to New York, via the Isthmus. Steamers will leave here every Saturday and arrive from the Isthmus every Sunday.

This change in schedule will result in shortening the average time from San Francisco to New York, as better connections will be made at the Isthmus. When direct sailings to the Isthmus

the works. He formerly owned large shoe stores in Helena, Butte, Anaconda, Deer Lodge, and Miles City together with sheep ranches and a magnificent residence in Helena. He was the founder of the Montana Wesleyan University and for years its treasurer, making liberal gifts to the institution. He also was prominently connected with the Masons.

Heavy investments resulted disastrously and the Gomer fortune finally was lost and the former merchant prince compelled to work as a day laborer. His sons are well known in Butte business circles.

MAY ABOLISH HEAD TAX.
Canada Considers Advisability of Permitting Only Limited Number of Chinese to Enter Each Year.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the government of Canada is contemplating removing the head tax of \$500 on a Chinese entering the country, was hinted at before the Royal Commission now investigating Chinese immigration reaching the coast from Vancouver today, according to T. E. McInnis, former barrister of Vancouver, who is a Parliamentary agent.

McInnis took a prominent part in working up the evidence that led to the suspension of Yip On, Chinese interpreter, and J. M. Bowell, controller of Vancouver Chinese.

Asked to explain this activity, he said he was working for Sir Wilfred Laurier and Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior, with the view of making a radical change in the administration of Chinese immigration, which is now divided by the customs and trade commerce departments with the immigration department.

He said that Sir Wilfred Laurier was considering the removal of the head tax and the adoption towards Chinese of the plan that is now used with the Japanese, which only a limited number be allowed to come to the country each year.

COUNTY SURVEYORS ELECT.
END STATE CONVENTION.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The California State Association of County Surveyors, in session at the City Hotel yesterday, elected the following directors: F. E. Quail of Stockton, E. E. Newell of Tuolumne, Robert L. Reading of Shasta county, E. H. Aneer of Stanislaus and R. G. Evans of Placer counties. They elected President J. G. McMillan, Vice-President E. A. Haviland and Secretary F. C. Miller of this city, form the directors.

MAYOR TO PLAY CRIPPLE ROLE.
Indiana's Executive Will Try to Bring Two Foe Hearts Together in Happiness.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
INDIANAPOLIS, (Ind.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Verantile Mayor Shank will take a little flier as a matrimonial agent and if he can unite two lonely hearts, he believes his administration will not have been in vain.

The Mayor will introduce Mrs. H. Eberhardt of Union Hill N. J., to Dr. H. Lilly of Chicago, and do what he can to foster a courtship between them. If they consent to marry, the Mayor proposes to invite them to come to Indianapolis and have the ceremony performed at the Mayor's office at the new City Hall building free of charge.

It was less than a week ago that Mrs. Eberhardt wrote to the Mayor telling him of her loneliness. "I would like to get married again if I have a good chance," she wrote.

Today Uncle Sam left a letter on the Mayor's desk from Dr. Lilly, who is with the Central Optical Company at Chicago, saying he desired a wife. Dr. Lilly admits forty-five years and says he has not married earlier because he cared for an invalid mother until about a year ago.

"There's a chance to make two hearts happy," said the Mayor when he read Dr. Lilly's letter and remembered the one from Mrs. Eberhardt.

COLLIE'S DEATH CAUSES RIOT.
Hankow Chinese Blame British Police for Murder, and Troops Are Landed in Order to Preserve Peace.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
HANKOW (China) Jan. 22.—The death of a collie, who was found dying by the British police, resulted in serious disorders today. The Chinese suspected that the police had killed the collie and rioting began in several sections.

British and German gunboats landed detachments, and fierce fighting followed, in which ten Chinese were killed. The victory is sending native troops to restore order.

Hankow is a treaty port in the Province of Hu Pei on the Yangtze River. It is one of the largest cities of the empire with a population of 850,000. Many foreign merchants reside there.

After the landing of the British and German marines, volunteers were called out to defend the foreign community. Several foreigners were injured. Tonight the Chinese troops are in control of the situation.

Gloucester, Mass., fishing interests are in receipt of private despatches from Newfoundland saying that three Gloucester fishing boats caught in the ice in the Bay of Islands have been liberated by the Newfoundland cruiser Plover. As the cruiser was under no obligations to attempt to break the ice about the fishermen, the action is appreciated here as a bit of international courtesy.

"Plans for Saving" Contest Closes

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the California and Atlantic Company has proved the opposite, and constant additions have been made to the fleet until it now numbers eight steamers. In addition to freight which came to this line at the outset it is now carrying large amounts of citrus fruit and asphaltum from California to the East, and the tonnage is constantly increasing.

LEGAL FIGHT OVER CORPSE.
Late South Dakota Politician's Two Families Are Divided Over Burial at Seattle.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After a week of controversy between two of his sons on one side and his second wife on the other, the body of Chauncey L. Wood, Democratic leader of South Dakota, is indefinitely kept from burial by two orders made in King county Superior Court this morning by Judge Boyd J. Talmán. Both the widow and the sons by the first wife are restrained from making any disposition of the body until further orders of the court.

Judge Talmán took this action on a hearing of a temporary order signed by Judge Mitchell Gilman at his home last night. This temporary order, granted at the instance of the two sons, Ruel B. Wood and Ben R. Wood, was served on E. B. Hatterworth and his sons at midnight.

Chauncey L. Wood married his second wife, Beatie F. Wood, in Arizona, August 7, 1914. For the last five years she has lived in Seattle, he visiting her from time to time.

In December Wood came here to live with his wife until March and last Sunday he died in Providence Hospital after an operation for appendicitis.

Monday night the two sons, both of whom are members of the South Dakota bar, arrived in this city. A dispute at once arose between them and Mrs. Wood with her step-brother Roy D. Frank of Seattle, as to whether the body should be buried here or taken to Rapid City, S. D., to lie beside his first wife. Then the dispute was taken to court.

BUBONIC INVADERS PEKIN.
Legation Staffs at Chinese Capital Quarantine Themselves—Plague Carried Across Gulf of Pechili.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PEKING, Jan. 22.—A number of deaths from bubonic plague have occurred in the city since the first death from the disease here was reported yesterday.

The legation staffs are quarantining themselves within their own walls, having been unable to agree on general measures for the entire legation.

Advices from Chefoo state the epidemic has been carried across the Gulf of Pechili in junk boats, but there are grave fears that it will extend throughout Northern China and Korea.

PLAQUE CAMPS DESERTED.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
KALAN CHENG TSE (China), Jan. 22.—Plague refugees from Harbin are arriving here in great numbers. The fatalities increase daily. The Japanese are erecting plague camps capable of containing 4,000 persons.

TROOP OF BRONCHO BUSTERS.
New Cavalry Organization, Fourth of Its Kind in California, in Process of Formation at Alturas.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ALTURAS, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Probably the most active troop of cavalry in the National Guard of California will be that soon to be organized in Alturas. This will be composed of broncho busters, many of whom participated in contests at the Fiesta of the Dawn of Gold in Sacramento during the State fair.

When the Alturas troop is organized it will make four organizations of the kind in California and will complete a squadron. There are troops at Sacramento, Salinas and Los Angeles.

Dr. E. F. Auble, who started the movement, has been in conference with Adjutant-General Forbes ever since the "Good Roads" meeting in the capital several days ago. Dr. Auble reports that Forbes gives the movement his enthusiastic support. A troop requires sixty-one men and three officers.

HELD ON PERJURY CHARGE.
Nevada Mining Man, Arrested at Reno, Has Exciting Ride With Train in Officers' Auto.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
RENO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] M. C. Scully, a mining promoter of Goldfield and Emery, was arrested last evening as he was coming out of a local theater by Constable J. A. Hash of Battle Mountain, on a warrant charging perjury.

Chief of Police Burke of Reno, assisted in the arrest. The prisoner was rushed to an Overland motor, but the train, having just departed, the constable hired an auto and ordered the driver to overtake the train. Sparks. After a hard ride the train was caught and the constable boarded it with his prisoner. The matter came up before Justice of the Peace E. F. George at Battle Mountain today and Scully gave bonds to appear for trial in February. The perjury is alleged to have been committed in a mining case before District Judge Brin, last year.

FISHING BOAT IN DISTRESS.
Wireless Calls for Help Sent Out for Over an Hour Last Night Off West Coast of Vancouver Island.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
SEATTLE, Jan. 22.—Wireless stations along the coast of Washington and British Columbia have been unable to pick up any information concerning the fate of the fishing steamer Chicago, with forty men aboard, which sent out distress calls for more than an hour last night.

The operator on the Chicago failed to give out his position and the whereabouts of the Chicago is unknown, although she was supposed to be off the west coast of Vancouver Island.

The fact that the Chicago's distress calls gradually grew fainter and then failed entirely is said by wireless men to indicate that water had reached the engine room and cut off the power.

NEW YORK VIA THE ISTHUS.
New Steamship Company Announces Weekly Sailings From San Francisco, Beginning Saturday.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bates & Cosebrough announce that, beginning next Saturday, the California and Atlantic Steamship Company will maintain weekly sailings from San Francisco to New York, via the Isthmus. Steamers will leave here every Saturday and arrive from the Isthmus every Sunday.

This change in schedule will result in shortening the average time from San Francisco to New York, as better connections will be made at the Isthmus. When direct sailings to the Isthmus

the works. He formerly owned large shoe stores in Helena, Butte, Anaconda, Deer Lodge, and Miles City together with sheep ranches and a magnificent residence in Helena. He was the founder of the Montana Wesleyan University and for years its treasurer, making liberal gifts to the institution. He also was prominently connected with the Masons.

Heavy investments resulted disastrously and the Gomer fortune finally was lost and the former merchant prince compelled to work as a day laborer. His sons are well known in Butte business circles.

MAY ABOLISH HEAD TAX.
Canada Considers Advisability of Permitting Only Limited Number of Chinese to Enter Each Year.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the government of Canada is contemplating removing the head tax of \$500 on a Chinese entering the country, was hinted at before the Royal Commission now investigating Chinese immigration reaching the coast from Vancouver today, according to T. E. McInnis, former barrister of Vancouver, who is a Parliamentary agent.

McInnis took a prominent part in working up the evidence that led to the suspension of Yip On, Chinese interpreter, and J. M. Bowell, controller of Vancouver Chinese.

Asked to explain this activity, he said he was working for Sir Wilfred Laurier and Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior, with the view of making a radical change in the administration of Chinese immigration, which is now divided by the customs and trade commerce departments with the immigration department.

He said that Sir Wilfred Laurier was considering the removal of the head tax and the adoption towards Chinese of the plan that is now used with the Japanese, which only a limited number be allowed to come to the country each year.

COUNTY SURVEYORS ELECT.
END STATE CONVENTION.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The California State Association of County Surveyors, in session at the City Hotel yesterday, elected the following directors: F. E. Quail of Stockton, E. E. Newell of Tuolumne, Robert L. Reading of Shasta county, E. H. Aneer of Stanislaus and R. G. Evans of Placer counties. They elected President J. G. McMillan, Vice-President E. A. Haviland and Secretary F. C. Miller of this city, form the directors.

MAYOR TO PLAY CRIPPLE ROLE.
Indiana's Executive Will Try to Bring Two Foe Hearts Together in Happiness.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
INDIANAPOLIS, (Ind.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Verantile Mayor Shank will take a little flier as a matrimonial agent and if he can unite two lonely hearts, he believes his administration will not have been in vain.

The Mayor will introduce Mrs. H. Eberhardt of Union Hill N. J., to Dr. H. Lilly of Chicago, and do what he can to foster a courtship between them. If they consent to marry, the Mayor proposes to invite them to come to Indianapolis and have the ceremony performed at the Mayor's office at the new City Hall building free of charge.

It was less than a week ago that Mrs. Eberhardt wrote to the Mayor telling him of her loneliness. "I would like to get married again if I have a good chance," she wrote.

Today Uncle Sam left a letter on the Mayor's desk from Dr. Lilly, who is with the Central Optical Company at Chicago, saying he desired a wife. Dr. Lilly admits forty-five years and says he has not married earlier because he cared for an invalid mother until about a year ago.

"There's a chance to make two hearts happy," said the Mayor when he read Dr. Lilly's letter and remembered the one from Mrs. Eberhardt.

COLLIE'S DEATH CAUSES RIOT.
Hankow Chinese Blame British Police for Murder, and Troops Are Landed in Order to Preserve Peace.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
HANKOW (China) Jan. 22.—The death of a collie, who was found dying by the British police, resulted in serious disorders today. The Chinese suspected that the police had killed the collie and rioting began in several sections.

British and German gunboats landed detachments, and fierce fighting followed, in which ten Chinese were killed. The victory is sending native troops to restore order.

Hankow is a treaty port in the Province of Hu Pei on the Yangtze River. It is one of the largest cities of the empire with a population of 850,000. Many foreign merchants reside there.

After the landing of the British and German marines, volunteers were called out to defend the foreign community. Several foreigners were injured. Tonight the Chinese troops are in control of the situation.

Gloucester, Mass., fishing interests are in receipt of private despatches from Newfoundland saying that three Gloucester fishing boats caught in the ice in the Bay of Islands have been liberated by the Newfoundland cruiser Plover. As the cruiser was under no obligations to attempt to break the ice about the fishermen, the action is appreciated here as a bit of international courtesy.

"COME-BACK" OF BARNES PUZZLE.

Washington Politicians Busy In Speculation.

Can't Understand Happenings in Empire State.

Sudden "Reversal of Form" Is Difficult to Solve.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is one thing more than another that the politicians of the national capital cannot understand, it is the why and the wherefore—the reason and the logic—of politics in the Empire State. There is something something doing over there and when it is not Tammany that is mystifying with its peanut machinations, the Republican brethren up and perform in a manner calculated to take the breath out of the audience watching the New York stage.

The recrudescence of William Barnes, Jr., is the latest case in point. This is the same Mr. Barnes who about four months ago led the Old Guard charge at Saratoga and was overwhelmingly elected by the voters under Roosevelt. Now he has been elected, with dramatic unexpectedness, to the chairmanship of the Republican State Committee—the same committee that was shown at the Saratoga convention.

Then the recently deposed Woodruff occupied the position of State chairman, Barnes was the brains and the power behind. Now he becomes a titular head of the organization. Remembering the spectacular events that drew Col. Roosevelt into the factious fight in New York last fall and the results that followed, a question now naturally arises, how does the shift of power affect the former incumbent? It will be recalled that it is the time of the battle of Saratoga, as proclaimed Roosevelt was bent on using the organization for the purpose of controlling the New York State delegation to the next National Convention, in opposition to Taft and of course, in behalf of his own candidacy for the presidential nomination in 1912, according to the seers and the prophets. Those with knowledge of the inside of the organization understand that Col. Roosevelt was not intended to be a candidate for presidency in 1912 and that his inclusion as to that anticipated the recent election throughout the country. There is the latest happening in connection with the New York Republican state organization are not moving to upstage personal plans erroneously attributed to Col. Roosevelt.

The vital issue before the New York Republicans at their last State convention was the direct primary. The democratic State convention at Rochester subsequently declared for state-wide primaries. Thus both sides were pledged.

But what is the matter with the present New York Legislature, which appears to be Democratic, enacts a direct primary law. A bipartisan combination defeated such legislation during the time of Governor Hughes. It is likely to do it again at the time of Governor Dix.

That may be one of the reasons for the head and front of the opposition and the overthrow of the old convention item.

THEIR SPEER OR ADAMS.

Right for United States Senatorship in Colorado Apparently Between These Two—Dark Horse Possible.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.

DENVER, Jan. 22.—As the day approaches for the first ballot for United States Senator, the late Charles J. Hughes, Jr., supporters of Robert W. Speer of Denver, and Governor Alva Adams of Pueblo, are exerting every effort to win their maximum strength. Ap-

pearantly the contest at this stage, has narrowed to these two contestants, although in case of a prolonged deadlock, which now seems certain, enough Democrats may be deflected to elect a third candidate.

There has been considerable agitation recently in favor of Gov. John Shafroth, but there is little likelihood that the Governor will show any strength on the first ballot.

Tonight it is practically certain that the Democrats will not enter a caucus on the Senatorship before Tuesday. It was announced that the Republican members will caucus Monday night to determine the candidates who will receive their complimentary vote. Republican leaders gave emphatic assurance that none of their votes will be given to a Democrat in case of a prolonged deadlock.

SIX TEAMS IN FRONT.

California Men Fall to Come to Scratch in Intercollegiate Rifle Matches.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Columbia University made the highest score in the week's matches of the Intercollegiate Indoor Rifle Shooting League. Four of the sixteen teams are tied for first place, with two victories and no defeats.

Results of the week's matches were: Columbia defeated Dartmouth, 1859 to 1870.

Princeton defeated Minnesota, 1609 to 0, (default).

Louisiana defeated California, 1449 to 0, (default).

Massachusetts Aggies defeated Arizona, 1519 to 1511.

Purdue defeated North Georgia Aggies, 1649 to 1209.

Iowa defeated New Hampshire, 1855 to 1531.

Cornell defeated Washington State, 1759 to 1751.

LIVELY FIGHT IN HOUSE OVER PROPOSED CUT IN POSTAL FORCE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The attempt of the Postoffice Department to "take up the slack" in the railway mail service throughout the United States by cutting the number of employees or result in any injury to the efficiency of the service.

The Postoffice Department has been endeavoring to equalize the work of clerks upon a basis of 41-2 hours of road work a day and reduce the force.

While the last postoffice appropriation bill authorized the appointment of 17,967 clerks, the number actually employed was 14,483. The appropriation bill now before the House reduces the number of authorized railway mail clerks by 404 from the figures of last year, but the number actually employed now is so low that there will be an opportunity for the appointment of 1040 additional clerks under the present bill.

Representative Martin of South Dakota presented a memorial passed by the Legislature of that State calling on Congress and the Postoffice Department to relieve the acutely serious situation that has developed in Western States. The departments orders for a rearrangement of the railway mail service went into effect shortly before Christmas.

Chairman Weeks of the Postoffice Committee, who is in charge of the appropriation bill now before the House, said these complaints had been

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BILL IS PREPARED TO GIVE LOS ANGELES AN ANNUAL STATE FAIR.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A separate State Fair for Southern California—a duplicate of the one at Sacramento—is being prepared by Judge Peter J. Shields of Sacramento, and which will be given to one of the Los Angeles Senators for introduction.

Judge Shields is at work on a district fair bill for the live stock and horse breeding association, the State and the Los Angeles fair measure is a companion to this law. Shields declined to give out details tonight.

The district fair law he is preparing proposes to divide the State into six districts and provide each with \$5000 of State money each year, none of which may be spent in racing purposes. The creation of the six districts is expected to start early in the Legislature, as the counties are not united on the plan. The proposed law was developed by a meeting of the breeders at the Palace Hotel recently, at which time agricultural interests were also in attendance.

It is expected that the bill will be introduced in the Legislature in the near future. The bill is in charge of a board of seven named by the Governor and the selection of cities in which the fairs are to be held is left to a State commission of five, also to be named by the Governor. Senator Julliard will introduce this measure.

MITTIES OF THE LEGISLATURE by J. F. Sartori, president of the Security Savings Bank, who arrived here tonight from Los Angeles.

Sartori has been one of the advocates of the revenue system established under Constitutional Amendment No. 1, which is soon to be made effective by law, and he believes it far better to make all corporations pay a uniform rate on a uniform basis than by the present system, which taxes franchises on their stock-market values, as compared with their book value.

He would have every corporation pay on one-twentieth of its total authorized capitalization, plus surplus and undivided profits, at the rate of 1 per cent. That is, if a corporation has \$100,000 of authorized capital, it would pay \$5000 a year, and if it has \$1,000,000, it would pay \$50,000 a year.

"All corporations now pay \$100 a year," he said. "Under this system the small corporation would be overtaxed, and the large corporation would be undertaxed. The tax would not be enough to disturb any legitimate corporation. Our Security Building company, for example, of paying \$100 a year, would pay \$500 a year. I estimate that the system would produce from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 in addition to the revenue already computed from corporation taxes."

Sartori will appear before the committee at the request of Senator Curtin, champion of Amendment No. 1.

The liquor interests object to all the territory in any county voting on license as one unit, except the incorporated cities. In some cases this would result in the creation of terrible desert territory for the domain of King Rum. It would also make a populous portion of a county a square mile in some cases, they fear.

Up to date, the liquor interests have shown little interest in the fight. This is explained by the statement that the liquor interests have been expected to view anti-liquor legislation discouragingly. In the campaign the Northern liquor interests were encouraged in the belief that Johnson would be their friend.

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It is expected that the bill will be introduced in the Legislature in the near future. The bill is in charge of a board of seven named by the Governor and the selection of cities in which the fairs are to be held is left to a State commission of five, also to be named by the Governor. Senator Julliard will introduce this measure.

MITTIES OF THE LEGISLATURE by J. F. Sartori, president of the Security Savings Bank, who arrived here tonight from Los Angeles.

Sartori has been one of the advocates of the revenue system established under Constitutional Amendment No. 1, which is soon to be made effective by law, and he believes it far better to make all corporations pay a uniform rate on a uniform basis than by the present system, which taxes franchises on their stock-market values, as compared with their book value.

He would have every corporation pay on one-twentieth of its total authorized capitalization, plus surplus and undivided profits, at the rate of 1 per cent. That is, if a corporation has \$100,000 of authorized capital, it would pay \$5000 a year, and if it has \$1,000,000, it would pay \$50,000 a year.

"All corporations now pay \$100 a year," he said. "Under this system the small corporation would be overtaxed, and the large corporation would be undertaxed. The tax would not be enough to disturb any legitimate corporation. Our Security Building company, for example, of paying \$100 a year, would pay \$500 a year. I estimate that the system would produce from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 in addition to the revenue already computed from corporation taxes."

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The fight on Lorimerism was begun in
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above all and beyond all in incapacity and inability are the political blacks who seek and often obtain office. In Colonial days the office sought the man, and sometimes men moved with such reluctance that the Commonwealth found it necessary to declare a law against him who, being chosen to office, refused to serve. Now the man either only seeks the office or stands around where the office can get a good look at him. The black never is troubled with modest misgivings as to his fitness to hold any place.

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Pen Points: By the

Clothes make the man, but clothes very often break him.

Have you ever noticed what things grow in the seed estate?

Champ Clark wants to be That's nothing. He is an American.

What has become of our old hero? He has such a nice, malodorous.

Anyway, if the Panama Canal is formed, it may carry concealed.

That proposed blacut plant is will likely make the kind that make to make.

Revolutions are again reported but no one seems to know what all about.

The uprising at Monaco it is will change the odds at the roulette tables.

There will be a new captain on the with the marriage of Comander and of the Yale.

"Smiling Billy" Sheehan seems and that New York Senators ought to knock on wood.

The Ohio-Supreme Court has decided the value of honeydew bliss is not mark it down to \$394.

Some of that \$10,000,000 girls search work by Andrew Carnegie utilized to locate T'dore Bell.

Speaker Atkins of the Illinois Legislature, but there is no need of a man's wealth against him.

What has become of the old woman who would never have any home-made bread on the table?

Onions a fete are the latest household receipts. It is fete to come, that furnishes the aroma.

Mrs. Nat Goodwin has much with in addition to the idiosyncrasy of her husband. She lived in Indiana once.

In several instances that we have water-wagon, has already gone to Wendell Holmes' "One-Horned Horse."

The spring seed catalogue is showing Los Angeles show window means that spring is coming down to us.

In London an American has been because he had 2000 one-dollar bills, only a Los Angeles plumber out for a.

Opportunity may knock at the door every man, but when it stops at the poor the knock can hardly be distinguished.

Charlie Taft, son of the President, on his first pair of pants. He is the next summer (when he goes to) for a tent.

Many of the California voters will several dozens of pesos to enable them some of the views of Mayor John Gor. Johnson.

The proposed California law will not amount to much and it, etc., do away with dimpled, red-cheeked girls.

He man who goes to the Legislature first time feels that he will be a loser. When he comes back he is surprised that he didn't.

The addition of Esperanto to the of the University of California, the students a greater assurance yeils to choose from.

Another lady has been admitted to law in the courts of California. have been the vogue ever since of "The Merchant of Venice."

The girl graduates of Wellesley are showing a tendency to marry. It is the American man is showing a tendency to exhibit utter foolishness.

They are organizing a society in Ohio, to be known as the "The Ohio Society for the Preservation of the Ohio River."

It will be a bon-ton organization. It is reported to be up in the arrangements of Los Angeles, contiguous counties are not too busy getting the crop in.

What will Champ Clark and the House do without Maro He is to tell them how to act and is now along the great white way.

The death of Capt. Shaddock, brought the first grapefruit in 17, is announced. But we do not that he cared for it every breakfast.

new Democratic House will not until next December, and the are already wrapping over the that they may or may not months hence.

Legislative legislators are now making a number of second-hand to succeed the first. The Republicans who refused to go to the job.

latest information from Ohio is government is not tottering and will be no need of any income part of the United States that the Mole St. Nicholas and his old game.

Stood the Test.

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Smartness in New Tailored Suits

The woman who goes out has an idea that it never pays to look any less smart than the other woman—and she is right. Clothed in a tailored suit from this establishment, she has the satisfaction of knowing herself to be in the best of good taste:

FAVORED SPRING MODELS are shown in black satin, and in black and white stripes and checks; in soft greys, in the various tones of blue; in enistral cloth—a novelty of the hour; and in practically numberless fancy materials, as well as the plain worsteds and novelty goods.

THE STYLES SHOWN are most becoming—the coats, 22, 24 and 26-inch lengths, silhouette the figure according to prevailing style-notions; the skirts are just a trifle wider than they have been this winter.

THE PRICES begin at twenty-five dollars; and we have an excellent showing at that popular price. Of course new arrivals are unpacked daily.

FITTING AND ALTERING is a matter of pride with us; we absolutely guarantee satisfactory and very prompt alterations on all garments sold by us.

You'll Never Pay Less for a Good Silk Petticoat

We are among the first retailers to secure this line of silk petticoats, which must find instant favor among women who like the luxury of silken skirts—without the usual expense:

SOFT FINISH TAFFETA SKIRTS of good weight; black, navy, green, tan, brown and a number of two-toned combinations; as well as some handsome Persian petticoats (only fifty of these) all in a sale at one price\$3.50

Muslin Underskirts in the January Sale

are given prominence this week, at a third and more under their regular prices:

\$1.50 skirts,\$1.25	\$7 skirts,\$5.25
\$2.25 and \$2.50 skirts,\$1.75	\$8 skirts,\$5.75
\$2.75 and \$3 skirts,\$2.00	\$10 skirts,\$7.25
\$3.50 and \$3.75 skirts,\$3.00	\$12 skirts,\$8.75
\$4.50 and \$5 skirts,\$3.50	\$15 skirts,\$11.25
\$5.50 and \$6 skirts,\$4.25	\$20 skirts,\$14.75

January Linen Sale

of interest to thousands of people who appreciate such real savings as these indicate. The high quality of Coulter linens is accepted without question:

NAPKINS	
Full bleached; \$2.25 grade.....	\$1.75 doz.
\$4.00 grade; assorted patterns.....	\$3.25 doz.
Full bleach; \$3.50 grade.....	\$2.75 doz.
Prussian Silver Bleach; \$3.00 grade.....	\$2.35 doz.
Prussian Silver Bleach; \$5.00 grade.....	\$4.25 doz.
TABLE DAMASK	
Snow White; 66-inch; 75c grade.....	60c yd.
Snow White; 72-inch; \$1.00 grade.....	85c yd.
Shamrock Brand; 66-inch; \$1.25 grade.....	95c yd.
Prussian Silver Bleach; 72-inch; \$1.25 grade.....	95c yd.
SCALLOPED TEA NAPKINS	
15-inch; \$6.00 grade.....	\$4.50 dozen

LINEN SETS	
All sets, now \$10.00 or over, reduced a fourth.	
MADEIRA HAND EMB. NAPKINS	
\$10.00 grade.....	\$8.00 dozen
\$12.50 grade.....	\$10.00 dozen
\$16.50 grade.....	\$13.50 dozen
HAND EMBROIDERED GOODS	
Doilies, scarfs, sheets, pillow cases, towels, etc.....	33 1-3 per cent. reduced
BEDSPREADS	
Dozens of styles, all reduced	
\$1.00 spreads.....	80c
\$1.25 spreads.....	\$1.00
\$1.85 spreads.....	\$1.50

TOWELS	
Huck towels; 18x36; \$1.20 grade.....	doz. 95c
Extra large; 12 1/2c grade, each.....	10c
Union and all-linen; 25c grade.....	20c
75c towels.....	50c
\$1.00 and \$1.25 towels.....	75c
TOWELING	
Glass toweling; 15c grade.....	12 1/2c
Extra fine crash; 25c grade.....	20c
All-linen, brown; 10c grade.....	8 1/2c
Very soft cotton; 10c grade.....	8 1/2c
Red check glass; 10c grade.....	8 1/2c

35c Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs for 20c

This unusual opportunity comes through our buying in large quantity, and thereby getting lower prices than usual:

Agdines, Amryswil, Innisfall, Donegal and other well-known brands of hand embroidered initial handkerchiefs—wreath, scroll, scallop edge, rose, Shamrock and similar patterns of the regular thirty-five cent grade now20c Included are also a large number of handsome embroidered corner designs of unusually good 35c quality at20c NEW—our spring importations of Armenian glove handkerchiefs, all hand made, are here; 50c and 75c each.

White Goods Reduced

Just when undermuslins and lingerie of various sorts are demanding attention—children's sewing to be done, etc.—come these new prices on white goods of the more sturdy sorts, and upon the daintier, more sheer fabrics, as well:

LONGCLOTH	
12 1/2c Grade.....	11c
15c Grade.....	13 1-2c
20c Grade.....	18c
25c Grade.....	22 1-2c
30c Grade.....	27 1-2c
36-inch Wamsutta Nainsook; 16 2-3c grade.....	15c
36-inch Bleached Soft Finish Muslin; 12 1-2c grade.....	10c
NAINSOOK	
13 1-2c.....	13 1-2c
18c.....	18c
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27 1-2c.....	27 1-2c
50c Grade.....	45c
SPECIAL PRICES PREVAIL, ALSO, UPON	
India Linon	Victoria Lawn
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French Lawn	Chiffon Organdies
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Gowns to Order

With the social season well started, with tailors and dressmakers busier than ever, many of you will be glad to know where you can have gowns correctly and promptly made, at very reasonable prices:

Madame Cooper, in charge of our Dressmaking Parlors—Fourth Floor—will make gowns from the following materials, at the following prices. Your trimmings, of course, are not included in these estimates. Gowns from 20-inch fancy silks (\$1.00 quality) made for\$40. Gowns from 23-inch foulard silks (85c quality) made for\$35. Gowns from 23-inch foulard silks (\$1.25 quality) made for\$45. Prices for making up other materials quoted upon request.

Fashion-Favored Silks for Spring

Kaleidoscopic in its color array is this season's exhibit of lovely silks; space only for mention of a few which seem to be particularly in Fashion favor this Spring:

FOULARD SILKS Cheney Bros. best designs, in patterns to be found here only85c to \$1.25 FRENCH FOULARDS, 42 inches wide; exclusive in pattern,\$1.75 to \$2.50 yd. SATIN MAJESTIQUE CREPE 40 inches wide; all shades; at\$2.50 yd.

CREPE DE CHINE 45 inches wide; all shades; the best value hereabouts, at\$2.00 yd. CREPE METEOR satin faced; 45 inches wide; all colors\$3.50 yd. NEW SATINS, 36 inches wide; in all shades, at\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2

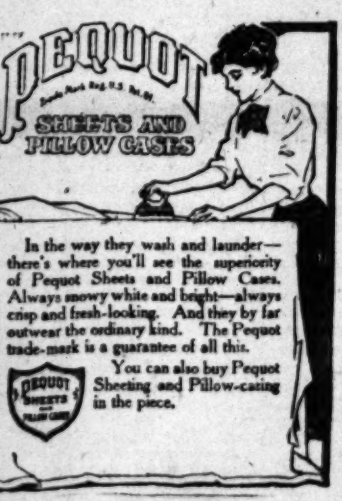
FRENCH PEPLUM. Foulard silks in various patterns; ours only, at twenty-five dollars, a pattern. TUB SILKS, 32 inches wide; new this season; for waists, dresses, pajamas, draperies, etc., will launder perfectly\$1.25 yd.

Interestingly Re-Priced Silks

CACHEMERE DE SOIE 45-inch; also wide Moire Velour and Satin Directoire; in broken color ranges, but all new; regularly \$3 and \$3.50, reduced now to\$2 yd.

SILK BORDERED CREPES. A small lot, suitable for scarfings; were \$1.00 and \$1.25, now75c yd. MOTORA PONGEES, and others; in colors only; extra values at \$1.50; now marked75c yd.

CHIFFON TAFFETAS, 21-inch widths; good \$1. quality, now75c yd. BLACK TAFFETAS, 35-inch widths; regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, now 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yd.



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Note These Prices:

No necessity for legislation compelling hotels and lodging houses to provide large-sized sheets for their apartments, when prices like these prevail upon the very best sheets (and sheeting) in the world. If the sizes quoted below aren't large enough, we will sell the material by the yard in any quantity desired: You couldn't buy "skimpy" sheets for less than this:

ALL SHEETS TORN, 2 1/2, 2 3/4 AND 3 YARDS LONG.	
PEQUOT PILLOW CASES	
42x36.....	18c
42x38 1/2.....	20c
45x36.....	20c
45x38 1/2.....	22 1/2c
50x38 1/2.....	22 1/2c
PEQUOT SHEETS	
54x90.....	60c
63x90.....	70c
63x99.....	75c
63x108.....	80c
72x90.....	70c
72x99.....	75c
72x108.....	90c
81x99.....	75c
81x99.....	85c
81x108.....	95c
BLEACHED PEQUOT SHEETING	
42-inch.....	1c
45-inch.....	1c
50-inch.....	2c
6-4.....	22 1/2c
7-4.....	22 1/2c
8-4.....	25c
9-4.....	27 1/2c
10-4.....	30c

FOR SALE
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A dark, textured vertical strip, possibly a book binding or a piece of wood, with a ruler visible along the left edge. The ruler shows markings in inches and centimeters. The strip has a rough, weathered appearance with various shades of brown and black.

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WE MUST SELL! FOLLOWING REBUILT FOR ONCE TO MAKE ROOM FOR NEW CARS ARRIVING

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1—Model 39, 5-passenger Premier Touring car, painted brown with top and cushion covers to match, to glass front and speedometer and electric horn. Price \$1850.

1—Model 24, 5-passenger Premier Touring Car, rebuilt in our shop and in excellent condition. A bargain at \$1700. Will out-spedometer. A bargain at \$1700. Will out-spedometer. A bargain at \$1700.

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5-passenger Kimore in fine shape, and every part in perfect running order. A bargain \$700

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SANTA FE PUTS ON NEW TRAIN.
Demand of Hemet Citizens for Improved Service Is Cheerfully Met by Railroad.

HEMET, Jan. 22.—Since the Times excursion to Hemet last spring, the continued demand of interested tourists for a Sunday train has led the Santa Fe railroad to put on a Sunday special between Los Angeles and Hemet. The train arrives here at 10 o'clock and leaves about 4 o'clock, giving the visitors several hours to see the valley. Owners of automobiles have been very generous in giving rides over the valley to the excursionists.

NEWS-BRIEFS.
The "Boys of Hemet," a musical club of young men, gave a dance at the opera-house hall last evening. The Ladies Aid society of the association was excellent support. The patrons and patronesses of the ball were: Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Viss, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Botwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. H. Wilson, and Miss A. Clarke.

Red Tea Room, 449 So. Broadway.

TORPEDO FLEET WILL MANEUVER.
CRUISERS TO ENGAGE IN SKIRMISH WITH FLOTILLA.

Naval Men Say the Most Comprehensive Aero-Naval Experiments of History Will Be Tried—Glenn Curtiss Will Participate With His Winged Instruments of War.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 22.—Vessels of the Pacific torpedo flotilla putting into San Diego Harbor today were the destroyers Paul Jones and Preble and the torpedoed Goldsborough. Rowan Fox and Davies, Captain Richardson arrived on the Tuxton Saturday. The destroyer Steward is expected from Mare Island February 1. The destroyers Hopkins and Lawrence are to sail from the navy yard February 15 and 20. The cruisers California, South Dakota and Pennsylvania, according to Commander Richardson, will come here from Santa Barbara about next Friday. The purpose of the cruises coming here is to participate in the aero-naval experiments to begin Saturday under the auspices of Glenn Curtiss and the army and navy experts sent here by the War Department, following which the cruisers will engage in joint maneuvers with the torpedo fleet and the submarine division. This programme is to begin February 23. Previous to that the crews of the various vessels will engage in shore drills and small arms practice.

Navy men say that this is the first time in the history of the navy on the Pacific Coast that such comprehensive maneuvers have been planned. Other destroyers and torpedo-boats now out of commission are to be repaired in time to come here and participate in the second maneuvers scheduled for the middle of March. When all the vessels return to the local base the Pacific torpedo fleet in the local harbor will number nineteen vessels, including fourteen torpedo craft, two colliers, two submarines and a torpedo tender. This is one of the largest aggregations of the American navy to be assembled at one time. It develops a large amount of responsibility and work on the shoulders of Commander Richardson.

Members of the Wednesday Club say they have the \$1500 to pay the guarantee for the appearance of Ellen Terry here and that they are at a loss to know to whom it belongs. The suit instituted against the club by the Seattle bank, they say, is of a friendly nature. Mrs. Caroline Darling, president of the club, and named as one of the defendants, states that besides the bank and Arthur Priest there are other claimants and that the club directors voted to withhold the money until the courts arbitrate the dispute.

NEW FIRE TRUCK ARRIVES.
The city's eighty-five-foot Seagraves aerial fire truck has arrived. The truck is designed for combating fires in the large buildings of the business district. E. E. Helm and Fred Ayres of Los Angeles, will arrive tomorrow to demonstrate to local firemen the proper way to handle the truck. They are representatives of the Gorman Rubber Company, through which agency the apparatus was purchased. Fire chiefs from other cities will accompany them.

PIONEER WOMAN DIES.
Mrs. Sarah Jane McKie, widow of Nathaniel McKie, died at her home, 74 Hawthorne street. She had resided in San Diego 26 years. She was an active member of the Christian church, where funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Her surviving children are Mrs. Sarah E. Merrill, Mrs. Caroline Darling, McKie and Hugh N. McKie, of the city, and Ernest L. McKie, of Berkeley.

ESCONDIDO'S RAINFALL.
Escondido's rainfall figures compiled by A. R. Moon, show the average rainfall at Escondido to be 15.34 inches. The rainfall is taken from seasonal totals for the last thirty-five years. Corrected figures furnished by Mr. Moon give as the total rainfall for this season to date 63.6 inches. The Escondido chapter of the Conference of Agriculture will publish the rainfall of that locality in the official bulletins sent out by the Weather Bureau.

TUNE UP, OH, YOU OYSTER!
Scientist Declares Succulent Bivalve Is Some Sweet Singer Itself.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Can an oyster sing? Can it see? Or hear? Or feel? Is an oyster an animal?

Thereby hangs another controversy. If an oyster can feel, has a sense of touch or of pain, the amount of suffering endured in one year by them would total all of the toothaches in the United States. Dr. Noiret says that they sing, meaning that they make a noise while feeling, which is like a hum, and with the proper setting, shimmering wavelets in the moonlight and lake banks fringed with shadows from tree and bush, it is as music to one drifting under friendly skies.

Mr. Seong, United States fishery expert, says that an oyster can hear and possibly see.

WILL APPEAL HORNET CASE.
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has not been established where the vessel received her guns.

After Gen. Bonilla captured Ruanan Island, off the coast of Honduras, he appointed officials for the government of the island.

Then, it is said, the Hornet was transferred from her owners to the revolutionists for a consideration of \$1 and a mortgage on the vessel. The Hornet was immediately transferred from American to Honduran registry and raised the Honduran flag, but the Honduran papers were issued by the Bonilla appointees. The validity of these papers is one of the questions that are now being looked into. Officials here generally regard them as irregular.

CEIBA IS AGOG OVER DETENTION OF CRAFT.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
CEIBA (Honduras) Jan. 22.—(Via Wireless to New Orleans.) Great excitement was caused here today when it became known that the United States cruiser Tacoma had "arrested" the revolutionary gunboat Hornet at Truxillo.

It is not known what effect the seizure will have on Gen. Bonilla's operations. Reports have reached here that for more than a week he has been mobilizing troops at Nueva Menia, fifteen miles east of here on the coast preparatory to an attack.

Ceiba appears to have more generals, captains and other officers than ordinary soldiers, and the government has experienced trouble in enlisting loyal privates. Trenches have been built on the outskirts of Ceiba and government officials express themselves confident of their ability to defend the town.

BOND ISSUE TO REPAIR SEWER.
Imperial Will Be Asked to Provide Funds to Make Necessary Repairs in System.

IMPERIAL, Jan. 22.—Citizens of Imperial will be asked to vote a \$9000 bond issue for reconstruction of a portion of the city's sewer system. A bed of quicksand over which the outfall sewer was laid has caused much trouble and the pipe has sunk until it is necessary to pump out the sewage. It is proposed to relay the system at a point about a mile and a half northeast of Imperial. The Delta Creamery, opened here last week, is running to its full capacity, and its products are given the highest quotations on the Los Angeles markets.

Large quantities of cotton seed are being accumulated at Imperial for use as cattle feed at the stock yards here.

The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank has just celebrated its first anniversary since its reorganization and announces that it has deposits of \$95,000, a great gain.

Red Tea Room, 449 So. Broadway.

Why Great Britain Is Solvent.
Free-Trade Great Britain, with a yearly excess of imports over exports amounting to more than \$500,000,000 would speedily become bankrupt if not for her big investments in other countries. According to the London Statist, these investments had reached in 1913 the great total of \$17,000,000,000. The interest and dividends on which amount to \$375,000,000. Add to this the profits of British shipping and the British income from the two sources is probably more than \$1,000,000,000 a year. The United Kingdom is living on the profits of capital invested in foreign countries. If dependent, as the United States is, upon her own internal resources, Free-Trade Britain would be bankrupt.—(American Economist.)

The funeral of Bishop William Parot, head of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Maryland, was held yesterday at Emanuel Church, Baltimore. Interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery at Washington.

Wire President Taft TODAY!

The "Solid South" is using sectionalism and political methods to prevent an exposition in the West. Impress upon the President that the West, as a unit, demands the settlement of the exposition question on bigger and broader lines.

Keep the Wires Busy

Impress the President with your earnestness by the number of telegrams he receives and the number of people interested. There is no "Solid West" appreciated in Washington today. The West has never been a believer in sectionalism.

It realizes the benefit of running the Government on broader business lines. But the "Solid South" is demanding political recognition for New Orleans as the exposition city, based entirely upon Southern sentiment. All the arguments in favor of San Francisco—all the advantages of location, climate and financial backing—have been given absolutely no consideration whatever.

To compel recognition of the rightful claims of the West, prompt, vigorous, united action is imperative.

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- Every individual in the West,

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and by the very number of telegrams he receives impress him with your earnestness, your enthusiasm, your sincerity and with the unbounded interest of the West in demanding that which it has a right to expect from the Administration it has so strongly supported.

A "Solid South" committee in Congress has reported favorably a bill to create an international exposition at New Orleans.

Mind you, this was done against San Francisco's simple request that Congress authorize the President of the United States to invite the nations of the world to participate in an exposition in 1915, created and WHOLLY financed by the people of the West, without Government aid.

This big business proposition of the West, backed by seventeen and a half million dollars (\$17,500,000) ALREADY available, with millions to follow, has been turned down by a "Solid South" committee in Congress in favor of Southern sentiment.

Telegraph Today

Impress the President and his party leaders by the very number of telegrams received and the interests represented. Send your wire now, using the following form as an example of the arguments which should be presented:

WM. H. TAFT, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.

The West expects you and your party leaders to use all the force and power at your command to settle the exposition matter on broad business lines.

(Signed)

Also telegraph your business connections, affiliations and friends east of the Rocky Mountains to wire their Congressman and also the President, at Washington, to support San Francisco as the exposition city.

As this matter comes before Congress, Tuesday, January 24, it is imperative that you act AT ONCE.

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